GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:91
ANSWERED ON:27.02.2001
CENTRAL ASSISTANCE FOR PREVENTION OF CRIME
MANSINH PATEL

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government provided any Central assistance to the State Government for prevention of crimes;

(b) If so, the nature of assistance; and

(c) the details of assistance provided during each of the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (I.D. SWAMI)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) of Starred Question No. 91, for answer in the Lok Sabha on 27.2.2001 regarding `Central Assistance for Prevention of Crime.

In order to supplement the efforts of the State Governments to maintain law and order, the Central Government has been assisting them to equip their police forces with the latest equipment and technology under a non-plan Scheme for Modernisation of State Police Forces. During the period from 1969-70 to 1999-2000, an amount of Rs. 536.74 crore has been released to the State Governments.

In addition to the above, assistance is also provided, in kind, to the North-Eastern States for vehicles, arms & ammunition, communication equipment and such other essential equipment.

Since 1996-97, a few State Governments are being provided assistance to the extent of 50% of the securityrelated expenditure incurred by them for dealing with the problem of left-wing extremism. Details of amounts released to those State Governments are as below:

Andhra Pradesh Rs. 30.6 crores
Bihar Rs. 28.80 crores
Madhya Pradesh Rs. 5.00 crores
Maharashtra Rs. 1.96 crores
Orissa Rs. 3.58 crores

The Government is also making direct payment to J & K Government , as Grants-in-Aid in kind, to various ordnance factories/ private companies for purchase of arms & ammunition, vehicles and communication equipment for J & K police. The State Government of Himachal Pradesh has also been assisted since 1998-1999, in its efforts to control/contain the spill-over of militancy from J & K to that State.

Details of assistance provided during each of the last three years, Statewise, are given as Annexures I,II and III.

Annexure-I

Funds released during last three financial years i.e. 1997-98 , 1998-99 & 1999-2000 under Scheme for modernisation of tate Police Forces.

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of State	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	Grand Total
Andhra Pradesh	1209.560	709.560	354.780	2272.900
Arunachal Pradesh	96.270	23.135	177.100	295.505
Assam	47.715	47.715	47.715	143.145
Bihar	783.120	633.120	508.530	1924.770
Goa	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Gujarat	150.180	75.090	570.300	795.570
Haryana	71.710	71.710	319.520	462.940
Himachal Pradesh	20.345	100.000	437.820	558.165
J&K	81.540	581.540	40.770	703.850
Karnataka	200.800	250.800	621.300	1072.900
Kerala	113.990	Nil	189.990	303.980
Madhya Pradesh	387.820	437.820	846.360	1672.000
Maharashtra	Nil	324.915	568.820	893.735
Manipur	217.315	234.630	17.315	469.260
Megalaya	51.880	125.940	12.970	190.790
Mizoram	87.780	43.890	173.385	305.055
Nagaland	238.430	238.430	164.375	641.235
Orissa	104.610	104.610	52.305	261.525
Punjab	284.650	42.325	42.325	369.300
Rajasthan	154.920	77.460	Nil	232.380
Sikkim	43.015	8.610	Nil	51.625
Tamil Nadu	296.850	321.750	163.960	782.560
Tripura	246.530	23.265	177.795	447.590
Uttar Pradesh	626.300	436.300	951.065	2010.665
Wet Bengal	174.770	87.385	761.500	1023.655
Total	5750.000	5000.000	7200.000	17950.000

Annexure-II

DETAILS OF ARMS AND AMMUNITION AND VEHICLE PROVIDED TO THE NORTH EASTERN STATES

1997-1998	Assam	Nagland	Manipur	Tripura	Meghlya	Mizoram	Arnchal	Sikkim	Total
VEHICLES									
Maruti Gypsy	197	134	108	73					512
Tata 407/709	115	36	55	35					241
Total vehicles	312	170	163	108					753
ARMS & AMMUNITION									
SLR	1020	300	1000						2320
Casrbine	1270								1270
9mm pistol	500	15							515
Total Arms	2790	315	1000						4105
Bombs/Grenades	25509	8580							34089
Ammunition	911720	118100	332080	402000					1763900

1998-1999	Assam	Nagland	Manipur	Tripura	Meghlya	Mizoram	Arnchal	Sikkim	Total
VEHICLES									
Maruti Gypsy	47	22	22	23	10	10	10		144

ARMS & AMMUNITION

SLR 100 100
9MM Pistol 1100 150 100 250 250 150 100 2100
Total Arms 1100 150 100 250 350 150 100 2200
Ammunition 55000 7500 5000 12500 117500 7500 5000 210000

OTHER EQUIPMENT

Bullet proofing of vehicles 60 60

1999-2000 Assam Nagland Manipur Tripura Meghlya Mizoram Arnchal Sikkim Total

VEHICLES

Maruti Gypsy 34 40 35 33 40 40 35 257
Maruti OMNI 5 5
Tata Sumo 20 20
Mahindra Commander 5 5
Tata 407/709 60 35 10 10 10 15 45 185
Mahindra Cabking 56 56
Mahindra Ambulance 15 15
Gypsy Ambulance 3 1 4
Total vehicles 195 75 45 46 50 56 80 547

ARMS & AMMUNITION

LMG 210 10 40 20 20 300
SLR 500 800 800 200 200 200 2700
Carbine 725 125 250 1100
9mm Pistol 2500 225 180 225 170 100 100 3500
Total arms 3435 850 990 1315 370 320 320 7600
Ammunition 1302640 275840 258960 342720 68960 84480 64480 2398080

COMMUNICATION

VHF Mobile 600 200 200 100 225 50 1375
VHF Hand Held 700 50 467 100 1317
Total Radio sets 1300 200 200 150 692 150 2692
Repeaters 7 20 2 11 40

OTHER EQUIPMENT

Bullet proofing of vehicles 8 8

Annexure III

SRE for Jammu & Kashmir [In Kind] [For J & K Police]

(Rs. In Crore)

Item	1998-99	1999-2000
1. Arms/Ammunition	14.01	45.62
2. Vehicles	06.96	12.45
3. Communication Equipment	-	0.17
Total :	20.97	58.24